

WORLD'S GREATEST BALLOONIST FEATURE OF CRYSTAL CITY

Annual Junior Marathon, Under Auspices of Federated Churches, to Open Big Event. Balloon Ascensions and Queens' Contest. Other Features to Amuse Crowds.

The whole city is moved as never before for the Crystal City, which will open June 28. The carpenters, electricians and concessionaires are all busy on the grounds. Mr. John Berry the world's greatest balloonist, of the Million Population Club, has everything now ready to make the ascension every night. There will be more attractions than have ever been seen before.

The Dionysian Athletic Club will celebrate its annual juvenile run under the auspices of the Federated Churches Monday, June 28. The race starts at 3 p. m. at City Hall to Sum-



REV. E. G. SHAW
Re-appointed Pastor of Macedonia A. M. E. Church.

ner High and will return from Sumner High to Crystal City. Mayor Kelly is invited to start the run. Wm. H. Robinson, president; Chas. A. Willis, secretary; Jas. W. Hunt, director; B. E. Watkins, starter. Boys from 12 to 18 years in race.

The young ladies who are in the Queen's Contest are beginning to line up their forces. A \$25 la valiere is beautifully surrounded by amethyst, diamonds and pearls.

Any girl wishing to enter the contest for queen at Crystal City will leave her name and address at 613 N. Garrison Ave., or call Bomont 316.

To-Night "Proserpina"

The beautiful Greek myth, "Proserpina," will be given tonight, Friday, at the Berea Presbyterian Church, 3015 Pine St., by the girls' department of Wheatley Branch Y. W. C. A.

Scene 1—Capture of Proserpina
Scene 2—Grief of Mother Ceres
Scene 3—On Mt Olympus Before Jupiter
Scene 4—In Pluto's Realm
Scene 5—

Proserpina's Six Months' Release
Forty little girls as nymphs with goddesses take part in this impressive and instructive play. Begins at 8 p. m. Admission, adults 15 cents, children, 10 cents.

OPENING OF TERPSICHOEAN GARDEN POSTPONED UNTIL WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23

On account of the rain Wednesday night, the opening of the Terpsichorean Garden at 4267 West Belle Pl. has been postponed until Wednesday, June 23.

NEW BARBER SHOP OPENS AT FAIRFAX AND SARAH

The Burnita, a new sanitary barber shop, has been opened at 4066 Fairfax, near Sarah. The place is finished in white enamel and has a very neat appearance. The three chairs are in charge of first-class artists. W. B. Goodrich is proprietor and Wm. White, General Manager.

Special Matinee, Movie Theater, 2351 Market, for benefit of Mound City Social Settlement Association. Tuesday, June 22, 1915, from 2 to 5 p. m. Admission 5 cents.

PORO COLLEGE FORMS ST. LOUIS ORGANIZATION

Management Entertains Employees and City Agents with Delicious Luncheon at Mack Robinson's Prevalence During Session. To Be Made Monthly Affair

Monday afternoon was the introduction of a new feature at Poro College, when nineteen of the Poro agents of St. Louis and suburbs assembled at 3 o'clock and held a business session, at which time a permanent organization was formed with the following officers:

Mrs. A. E. Pore Tumbo Malone, president; Mrs. Johnnie Pointer Marshall, vice-president; Miss Maude McKinstry, secretary; Mrs. Rowena Wilkinson, assistant secretary; Mrs. Rosa Smith, treasurer.

The following committees were appointed, the first named being chairman of each.

Investing Committee—Miss Leila Buck, Miss Mattie Wilson, Miss Mamie Gregory, Mrs. Olivia Ross Gardner, Miss Tennie Kemper.

Solicitation Committee—Mrs. Emma Wilson, Mrs. Victoria Wade, Mrs. Dannie Muthle, Mrs. Argatha Hunter, Miss Rebecca Brown.

Reception Committee—Miss Bertha Johnson, Miss Marie Taylor, Miss Carrie Winchester, Mrs. Annie Mae Larkins, Mrs. S. A. Mosely.

Executive Committee—Miss Gordon McKinstry, Miss Julia Gordon, Miss Frankie Baker, Mrs. N. H. Gibson, Mrs. Hazel Parrish.

At 4:30 o'clock a photograph of the group was taken by Mr. Sexton, and at 5 they met in an electrically lighted, dome shone on the extended dining table, which had been decorated with pink roses, white carnations and sweet peas. Covers were laid for the entire college force (fifty in all).

While being served with the choice menu of the season, each lady was called upon and responded with talks of the splendid results by their efforts in the Poro System.

At the conclusion the representatives of the college force joined in unanimous praise for the foundation of such a work, which employs such a vast number of girls and women.

This is an another demonstration of the benevolent spirit of Mrs. Malone, one might think that with the beautiful site and spacious quarters of the college it was a desire to command the entire trade would be a small thing.

Believing "in union there is strength," regular monthly meetings will be held to bring them in closer touch with each other.

City Federation To Meet Here

The City Federation will meet at the Mound City Social Settlement Shelter House, Monday, June 28, at 2 p. m.

Every club in the city is invited to send a delegate to represent. Special features of the meeting will be to inspect the shelter house and arrange to furnish the club room.

2nd. To arrange for a reception and lecture for Mrs. Mary B. Talcott of Buffalo, N. Y., Vice-President of the National Association of Colored Women, and the piano recital of her daughter, Sara May, graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. Talcott and her accomplished daughter will reach St. Louis about July 15, 1915, and richly deserve the honor of addressing all the citizens.

She is an exceptionally strong character and the leader of New York society. She is also President of the State Federation of New York, and wields a wonderful influence in affairs of state among both races.

St. Louis is fortunate to have a visit from this distinguished character. Reception and Arrangement Committees.

The following Clubs are invited to be present and serve on the Reception and Arrangement Committee: Orphans' Home Board, Orphans' Home Wardrobe Club, Insurance Club, Thimble Club, Book Lovers.

Widowed Sewing Club, Colored Women's Charity Club, Young Ladies' Reading Club, Yater's Improvement Club, King's Daughters.

PAY-DAY PROVES BIG SUCCESS AT B. W. THEATRE

Idea is a Profit-Sharing Plan, Voluntarily Introduced by Mr. Turpin. Thousands Come to Theater on Mondays and Thursdays to Get Envelopes

On Monday, May 17, Charles Turpin, proprietor of the Booker Washington Theatre, introduced a new idea heretofore untried in the amusement world. He termed it "Pay Day."

Every patron who entered the theatre was given an envelope containing his or her pay. These envelopes contained the sum of \$5 for a ten cent ticket of admission to the show. The innovation was so immensely popular that more than 5,000 persons visited the place and received their pay on the first night. Each succeeding Monday night has been practically as first. Persons in all avenues of life, the business and professional men, the clerks, the students, the clerks, the laborers, the mothers, the fathers and the children, all have swarmed to the Booker Washington to receive their pay. So tremendous was the success that the theatre was crowded to the limit.

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At first the idea seemed, to the casual observer, only a novelty that, like its predecessors, would soon wear away; but the proposition has assumed a more serious aspect. "Pay Day" at the Booker Washington is a voluntary profit-sharing plan. It means to the patrons of America's latest amusement diversion just what Henry Ford's innovation means to the world's greatest manufacturing. It is but a step in the evolution of business ideas that will eventually cover all lines. Already the writer has been asked by merchants, "What can I do to share the profits with my customers?"

Turpin, like Ford, is under no obligation to divide his profits with any one. His object is always to get more than 10 cents out of anybody's money. That which is contained in the envelopes is a profit on the patron's investment which he generously gives.

Among those who have received \$5 each in their envelopes are Mrs. C. Snipes, 3101 Clark; Mrs. Brown, Washington; Frank Johnson, 2614 Lawton; Forrest Ellis, 4138

In Edge Trading stands Mrs. Florence Davis, 2631 Market Pl., received \$40; Mrs. C. W. McGuire, 1525a Francis, \$40; Elizabeth Love, 2624 Market, \$10; Sarah Berger, 4137 First Ave., \$10; Mrs. Susie LeGrand, 2037 Clark Ave., \$20; Syvella West, 3333 Lawton, \$10.

Stamp books can be had on request at the box office. The doors of the theatre open at 6:30 p. m. daily.

Harper Married Ladies. Informal Dances. Harper W. C. T. U. Paul Mite Missionary. Central Baptist Mission Band. Utopia.

Married Ladies' Embroidery. Poinsettia. Hebrew Rescue Association. Rock Spring Mission. Sojourner Truth.

Antioch Woman's Aid Board. Historical Industrial. Married Ladies' Charity. Woman's Board of City Missions.

True Light Mission. Golden Rule Club. Needle Club. Fern Leaf.

Informal Mails. Any Club not federated is urged to join.

All Clubs urged to send written request for a big meeting. Joining for a Club \$2.00. Dues 5 cents per member.

One prepared for a big meeting. Jessal D. Robinson, Chm. Ex. Com. Victoria Clay Haley, Pres. Mildred V. Anthony, Sec. Pauline Greene, Treas. Julia Clark, Cor. Sec.

When giving a party, entertainment or social, let us print your cards. Argus Print, 2341 Market.

CHARITY CARNIVAL & STREET FAIR BAZAAR BEGINS MONDAY

Great Outdoor Amusement at Cardinal and Market Will Run From June 21 to July 21. Market and Laclede Cars Pass Grounds. Biggest Event of Season.

Pleasant Green Baptist Church

By Mary Wilburn Fielda

Monday night closed the tenth anniversary celebration which commemorated the ten years Rev. J. K. Parker has presided as pastor of Pleasant Green Baptist Church. Despite the fact that many obstacles have crossed his path, he has stood as firm as a solid rock. All hail to him, our shepherd.

Wednesday night, June 9, a young preacher's rally was given, which was a grand success. Brother Rucker took the leading part. We owe its success to the captain, Sister Tillie Griffin. Aaron Crow, 5 years old, preached during the week.

The celebration closed Monday night, June 14, with a grand entertainment by the originals. The program was excellent and was as follows:

Song.....Alabama Singers
Welcome Address.....Brother Collins
Response.....Rev. D. W. Donovan
Song....."Blest Be the Tie."

Invocation.....Rev. Perry
Solo.....Mr. Shadrack Young
Paper—"Rev. Parker as a Shepherd."
Mrs. Birdie McMah.

Song.....Alabama Singers
Remarks.....T. S. Morgan.
Solo.....Mrs. Urma Smith
"Rev. Parker as a Citizen." Dr. W. P. Curtis.

"Rev. Parker as a Friend and Helper," Mrs. Lula Alexander.
Solo.....Mrs. Jessie Halliack
"Rev. Parker as a Soul Winner," by Dr. Harris of Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

Song.....Alabama Singers
Remarks.....Mr. Foote
"Rev. Parker as a Real Man," Prof. Vashon.

Remarks.....Mr. Mitchell
"Rev. Parker as a Community Benefactor," Mr. Moore.

Remarks.....Bro. C. Cox
"Brief History of Church," Sister Martha Holt.

Presentation of Bouquet to Pastor in Belief of the Originals, by Mother Vaughn.

Remarks.....Rev. J. K. Parker
Reports of Captains and Clerks of various years. Sis. Sweetie Sydnor, Chairman Program Committee.

Guests of Honor: Medames Winston, Maggie Brown, S. E. Stogard, George Baker.

Closing Song—"Good Night," Alabama Singers.

Emma Jackson, an active member of our church, was buried Wednesday afternoon. She is sadly missed by her many friends. Sister Elsie Miles, president of the B. Y. P. U., under whose direction said Auxiliary has passed greatly, and departed Friday morning in company with Maud Anderson for Bay View, Mich.

Mme. C. J. Walker Coming In July

Mme. C. J. Walker, noted hair culturist of Indianapolis, Ind., will show the progress made in her business in the past ten years, in an illustrated lecture at St. Paul A. M. E. Church. These illustrations will show views of her property, amounting to over \$100,000. Mme. Walker's latest investment was made just a few days ago in the city of Chicago, where she purchased a piece of property, the cost of building alone was \$39,000. Mme. Walker gives largely to charities, having given \$1,000 to the Y. M. W. C. A. of Indianapolis. Miss A. M. Williams requested \$100 for the Y. W. C. A. at St. Louis was promptly granted by Mme. Walker.

Her lecture here at St. Louis should reach every ambitious woman. Hear her and learn how to succeed in business. July 19, 1915, at St. Paul A. M. E. Church, under the auspices of the St. Paul Mite Missionary Society.

Mrs. J. D. Robinson, Manager. Mrs. Victoria Clay Haley, Asst.

Everything is being done to have things ready for Monday night. The lights have been placed and some of the concessionaires seem to be afraid the other one will outdo him, so there seems to be a great spirit in the work which insures a great success to the fair. The band will make a short parade Monday on its way to the grounds.

The celebrated Alabama Jubilee Singers will appear on the first night of this great carnival and bazaar. They should be heard by all. They are second to none in the business. They have had the pleasure of singing before some of the most distinguished audiences in this country and have never failed to please. Much credit is due them for their exactness of manner in the rendition of real old Southern cahn and plantation melodies. Here them.

There will be amusements of all kinds for both young and old. For people in every walk of life, for the most solemn and the most gay. Mirth from the opening to the close will always be present.

Below you will find names of churches and organizations who have concessions on the grounds, and names of chairmen and managers who have charge of same.

St. Paul Stewardess Board No. 3, C. B. Rice, A. Jones.
St. Peter's Chapel, Elliott and Montgomery, Rev. R. C. Henderson, Pastor.

St. James' M. E. Church, 4212 Papin St., Rev. J. H. Boone, Pastor.
Centennial Christian Church, 4299 Kossuth Ave., Rev. N. A. Mitchell, Pastor.

Grace Mission, 17th and Gratiot Sts., Rev. B. W. Stewart, Pastor.
Mutual Aid Society, 429 N. Jefferson, Pastor.

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Church of God and Saints of Christ, 12th and N. Jefferson, Rev. J. H. Anderson, Pastor.

New Hope Chapter, O. E. S., Mrs. T. E. McCuskey, R. M.

Mosaic Temple of America, Dr. J. E. Hurt, 923 N. Jefferson.

Orpheus Home, 4316 North Bridge Road, Mrs. Amanda Jones, Pres. Scott Lodge No. 150, U. B. F., R. W. Hughes.

New Era Lodge, G. U. O. O. F. L., No. 339, Mrs. C. J. Walker.

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Big Demand For Jubilee Box Seats

The heavy demand for boxes for the Silver Jubilee Celebration of United Grand Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, at the Coliseum Thursday night, July 22, forecasts an immense attendance. Boxes have already been secured by: East Gate Lodge, Electa Chapter, Progressive Chapter, St. Mary's Court, Grand Master Crews, Mrs. W. C. Douglas, Royal Circle of Friends and others.

Among the visitors who will be here are Madam C. J. Walker, of Indianapolis, Mrs. Mary B. Talcott, Buffalo, N. Y., Past Grand of Victoria, Grand Chapter of New York and Mrs. Inez T. Alston, Grand Matron of Florida.

The tickets are being distributed by Mrs. Gertrude Sutherland, Gen. Chrmn., 4360 Cote Brillante Ave.; Mrs. Maria A. Hedgeman, Gen. Sec., 2844 St. Louis Ave.; and Mrs. W. C. Douglas, Clay-Haley, Royal Grand Matron, at the headquarters, 209 N. Jefferson Ave. As many tickets have already been distributed and for the affair in Dreamland, these cannot be recalled and will be honored at the Coliseum.

PARTY FOR THE GRADUATES AT ORPHEUS ACADEMY

The 27th informal party for the graduating classes of Summer High School was given by Jas. W. Grant the Orpheus Academy, Friday evening, June 25.

Shirt waist parties have been inaugurated at the Orpheus and are to continue throughout the summer.

Church Directory

BAPTIST CHURCHES

First Baptist Church—11th Street and Clark Ave. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. F. M. Patton, pastor.

Central Baptist Church, Washington and Erie avenues. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Rev. George E. Stevens, D. D., pastor.

Bethel Baptist Church, 1316 E. Third street. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. W. W. Perry, pastor.

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Fifth Baptist Church, 4125 Pappa St. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. J. R. Parker, pastor.

Chambers Street Baptist Church, 15th and Chambers Sts. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. David Johnson, pastor.

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Northern Mission Baptist Church, 605 Second Street. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. J. A. Shaddad, pastor.

Mount Zion Baptist Church, 1400 Pappa St. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. J. A. Shaddad, pastor.

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Paterson Ave. Baptist Church, 622 Paterson Ave. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. Charles Wilson, pastor.

Antioch Baptist Church, 427 Garfield St. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. Geo. W. Benton, pastor.

Philippi Baptist Church, 427 St. Louis Ave. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. J. J. Goldsby, pastor.

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St. James A. M. E. Church, St. Ferdinand Ave. and Franklin street. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Tuesday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. W. Sampson, pastor.

Union Memorial M. E. Church, 21st and Pine Sts. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. J. R. Parker, pastor.

Washington Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, 21st and Pine Sts. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. J. R. Parker, pastor.

Lane Tabernacle C. M. E. Church, 3008 Washington St. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. J. R. Parker, pastor.

St. Peter A. M. E. Church, 11th and Montgomery streets. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Friday, 8:00 p. m. Rev. J. R. Parker, pastor.

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Not Far From the Kingdom

By REV. M. R. BUTLER
Author of "The Kingdom of God is Within You"

TEXT—Thou art not far from the kingdom of God—Mark 12:34.

It required courage to ask the question which drew from the Master the words of the text.

Surrounded by the Pharisees, with their cold formalism, and the Sadducees, with their skepticism, he was asked nothing of the publicans and sinners with all their vices, that the young man and the moral

bravery to step out before them all and exhibit a life of devotion to God's first and great commandment for man, and the Master's answer places him at once in his true position before the Law.

What Jesus told this young man of long ago can still be said of many today: "Thou art not far from the kingdom of God."

1. He was in a very promising position, "not far from the kingdom."

He was acquainted with the truth to a certain extent, being in the position of many today who are able to tell much about the truth of the Bible; but they themselves are still "without."

He also assented to the truth. This, too, describes many of today who make no profession of Christianity; they not only know much of the truth, but they are quite ready to agree that it is truth.

He also admitted the One who told him the truth; he came to Jesus. And it may safely be presumed that he was a sincere man who caught the attention of Jesus and drew from him this answer. "Thou art not far from the kingdom of God."

2. He was in a very painful position; just at the door, but not inside. He would be condemned by his conscience because of his acquaintance with the truth. It would ever be telling him that he ought to step inside and obey the law of God.

3. He was in a very perilous position; he might never get into that kingdom from which he was "not far."

There was the danger that he rest content with mere assent to the truth. He would be like a traveler who might go many days and stop just one day's journey from his goal; all his weary journey would be useless without the final day's work. To be within a step of the kingdom of God and neglect to take that last step which would put one over the threshold is to take one's place with all the unsaved.

There was the danger, too, that he should put off the final step too long and his conscience become hardened and leave him without its warning tones.

"Almost" cannot avail, "almost" is but to fail; "almost," the bitter wall, "almost," but not.

A distinguished preacher tells of a gentleman who heard someone preach from this text, and as the danger of neglect was presented he felt he was but a step from salvation. Instead, however, of taking that last step which separated between his soul and life, he put it off and returned to his home. Retiring, he fell into a restless sleep and began to dream. He thought he saw himself die and behold his soul leaving his body. But he was dismayed to see a host of sins, which he recognized as his own, pursue his soul, and it became so terrible he could bear it no longer, but awoke. Springing from his bed, he called his wife and telling her the dream declared that on the next Sunday he would go to the church and take the last step toward salvation. But as he spoke he gasped and fell at his wife's feet, dead.

My dear reader, if you find yourself the promising but painful position of this young man, will you not just now exchange that perilous place for the safe place by accepting the gracious invitation of Jesus, "Come unto me and I will give you rest?"

STRUCTURAL SUMMIT SCHOOL LESSON

By C. E. BELLING, Author of "The Kingdom of God is Within You"

LESSON FOR JUNE 20
PRAYER FOR THE TEMPTED.

LESSON TEXT—Psalm 141. GOLDEN TEXT—Keep me from the snare which they have laid for me.

The style of this psalm closely resembles the known psalms of David in the first part of the psalter. From its structure and character, it is to be credited to David in it is presented complaint, prayer and confident hope of relief. It is a petition for deliverance from sins to which his afflictions tempted him, and from the enemies who caused his affliction.

1. Prayer. "My prayer directed" (v. 1, 2). There is good reason for believing David wrote this psalm going through the experience recorded in I Samuel 24. It is evident he is passing through a time of great stress "in dire need of help," he prays "Hear me, O Lord, for I am weary" (Luk. 18:1-8). David looks to Jehovah as his only and sure helper. We are told to omit the first word "unto" in this verse and to read, "I have called thee." Every human help has failed and faith fearlessly turns to God. Can God be urged? Surely we are taught that God respects his "remembrances" who cry "day and night" (Psalm 40:13; 91:15; 70:5; 71:15; 143:7). To fold the hands and pray to "aid him" is not really an evidence of spiritual debility and of a desire to alienate the privilege of a true exercise of prayer. True faith knows but one way of deliverance, that of prayer (Phil. 4:6, 7) and those who call in faith get deliverance (Rom. 10:13). Such prayer, the fruit of heart and life, is heard by God "as incense" and its effectiveness does not depend upon its being presented in the tabernacle—it is a "sacrifice of praise" well-pleasing to God. We are to pray to God through his Son and in the Holy Spirit. Such prayer is set forth before him as a sacrifice of sweet-smelling incense.

2. Practice. "Incline not my heart to practice wicked works" (v. 4). Such prayer as here suggested demands a preparation of purity. The "incense" was prepared with great care (Ex. 30:35) and its fragrance was brought out by fire (Rom. 8:27; Eph. 6:18); so likewise there must be the healing action of prayer and an absence of "wicked works."

In no way are we so apt to sin as in prayer, but we are to be as pure as the heart is clean (Matt. 15:11; Luke 6:45). The tongue can no man tame (James 3:8); yet God is able and his way is to cleanse the fountain. To use the mouth alone first with prayer and praise and then with evil is contrary to reason and to God's commands.

3. Protection. "In these do I put my trust" (R. V. text). Though this brother David knew where to turn, and to whom he could look. The church of Christ needs to look to the one who enables him to overcome. "Look unto me and be ye saved." Literally his prayer is "make not my soul naked" or "pour not out my soul."

Whoever shall a man harms by his sin he harms himself most. Satan tempts and their sons most frequently fall the grave of the drunkard.

Gambler nearly all lose their easy gains. "They that take the sword perish by the sword. Our only safety is Jehovah."

God is constantly answering this last prayer, and we do see the wicked toward salvation. Rev. as he spoke he gasped and fell at his wife's feet, dead.

This lesson has a strong temptation suggestion and application: (1) Preparation that God will hear; (2) Protection of the mouth and heart; (3) Protection for repent to learn thereby; (4) Protection from temptation and

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OUT OF OUR OWN NEWS.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLINOIS

By Geo. C. Anderson

The Missouri Annual Conference has just closed one of the most successful seasons in its history. Bishop Blackwell was the presiding bishop. Rev. R. E. Kline was the presiding elder of the district and Rev. T. W. Wallace, pastor. The conference was in session six days. Many visitors were present among whom were: Dr. C. C. Clement, editor of "The Star of Zion," Charlotte, N. C.; Dr. J. W. Wood, editor of "The Missionary Star," Philadelphia, Pa.; Drs. H. J. Callis and R. P. Christian of Chicago. Sunday afternoon the services were held at Lincoln High School. A very large crowd was in attendance. Monday night a star program was rendered, after which the appointments were read and the conference adjourned to meet 1916 at Jones Chapel, St. Louis.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO.

By W. C. Major

The Unity League met, with Rev. Belle, presiding, during the absence of President Dr. Henley, who is in St. Louis attending the conference. The program for the evening was very interesting and inspiring. Our secretary seemed pleased with the little token of her real service presented by the league. Don't forget the election of officers June 28, 3 p. m. sharp. Prof. Murray and wife have returned home after a school year's work at Madison, Ind. The services at the Baptist Church were held Sunday. The choir is progressing nicely under the guidance of Mrs. J. Golin. The commencement exercises at Lincoln Institute were successful. Many visitors from the different states were present to see their sons and daughters receive their diplomas. Pres. B. F. Allen has been re-elected for the ensuing year with his entire faculty, which means success for the school and Jefferson City. Mr. Jas. Garrett was a visitor of Mr. Arthur Lane during commencement week. Mr. William on Monroe St., Mrs. Cross on Locust St., and Mrs. Jamerson are on the sick list. The Hub City Tossers defeated the Calliope Giants in a test-played game Sunday. The pitching of Fred Bolten was thirteen strike outs and only allowing four hits in nine innings. The game was won by B. Turner in the ninth inning with a three-bagger, followed by two doubles and a single, netting four runs, score 4 to 3 in favor of Jefferson City. Attendance. The Tossers will probably play Mexico Sunday. A good game is expected. The Art Club entertained the visitors during commencement at the residence of Prof. Daniel. A three-course luncheon was served. Miss Rosetta Bennett left for St. Louis last week for a short while and from there to Chicago for the summer. Miss B. Enloe is very busy this week issuing out handbills for the members to put their donation for the number of years a member or church for their anniversary. The banquet of the A. M. E. Church was a success. The address of Bishop Parks was just to the point. Mr. Chas. Spencer has moved from Atchison St.

COLUMBUS, MISS., NOTES

By Miss R. Walker

The young men's Lyceum was organized last Thursday night. Rev. Jas. A. Mitchell is fostering the movement. All young men are invited to assist in the worthy undertaking. Messrs. B. A. Vassar and J. N. Nathan were business visitors last week. Among those attending the Tuskegee Normal are: Misses Beatie Washington, Minnie Davis, Ophelia Hamilton and Mr. C. J. Neilson. Mr. E. W. Williams was a business visitor to Jackson last week. Misses Narvelle and Juanita Ballions, who have been attending Park University at Nashville, Tenn., have returned to school. Miss Lena Craddock is still on the sick list. Rev. Vanhorn Murray and daughter were pleasant visitors last week. Misses Willie Kent and L. C. Clark, of Fayette, Ark., were here from the Queen City last week. Little Miss Nellie Nolan celebrated her fifth birthday Friday. Mrs. M. Johnson entertained in honor of Mrs. A. C. McMath, of Decatur, Ala. Also gave a delightful smoker for her son, Claude. The opening of the Shuquater Club at West Point, Friday night, was a brilliant affair. The Columbians attending were: Misses Willetta Anthony, Rebecca Walker, Messrs. Charlie Allen, Mack Miller, Richard Jones, Allen Wright, Hampton Griffin and Will Baker. Misses Mollie Hollis and Mary Moore, of Aberdeen, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harris last Sunday. Miss Clara Whitford has returned from an extended trip to Greenville, Mount Bayou, Memphis, Tenn., Chicago, Ill., and other points of interest.

JACKSON, MO., NOTES

By Rita Wade

There was a large crowd to witness

the installation of the Silver Crown Tabernacle No. 22 Wednesday, held at the A. M. E. Church. Mrs. Adelle Hamilton, Miss Mary Ann Head, returned home Tuesday, after attending the institute in Poplar Bluff. Misses Sadie Eubank, Josie Buford, Beatrice Pennington, Adelle Mason, Emma Haynes, Eubank, Abe Hicks returned home Friday from attending the institute in Cape Girardeau. Those on the sick list are: Mrs. Wm. Brooks was a visitor here this week. Mr. Willie Michael scalded himself seriously Sunday. Subscribe for the Argus. See Miss Wade.

FARMINGTON NOTES

Harold Staten really believes there's no place like home when one is ill. He arrived Monday from Louisiana. His condition has improved. Mr. Geo. Meyers is making his cottage home quite a modern one. His son, William, is here. He is now out of the hospital, though not fit for duty.

The friends of Mr. Talbert Burns are glad to see him again. Good Will Lodge No. 99 is preparing to observe St. John's Day appropriately. The court and chapter will attend and aid them in making it a success.

The critical illness of Mr. Jas. Foulk made it necessary for Mrs. P. Swink to go to Champain to assist in the nursing of him. Mr. Jno. Franks is recovering slowly.

A deal of pleasure was had by those who attended the lawn fete at Mr. Geo. Evans Thursday evening. Mrs. Miss Estacada Baker and Mrs. Robt. Simpson conducted the Children's Day program at the M. E. Church last evening. The Herald's pleased the audience much.

Mrs. D. Buford is rallying from an operation of a fortnight ago. She is rapidly improving.

You're best thing to "kill it" been trying to "kill it" ever since spring came, now "kill the fly." You swat it, let the children swat it, swat it anyhow.

Messrs. Wayman and Orville Chappelle, of Avon, spent Sunday here.

Miss Alice Swink is preparing to give a musical treat with her pupils at an early date.

Little Lamont Cayce has recovered from a serious illness.

Mrs. Lewis Kennedy, of Greenville, spent Saturday here transacting business.

Tonight on the paragoness laws the King's Herald will serve many delicious dishes.

Mr. Chas. Baker had the misfortune to lose two fine hogs last week.

Mr. Jno. Bridges writes home that the medical treatment is doing him much good.

Mr. Lewis Murphy returned to Festus Sunday.

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WEBSTER GROVES

Mrs. Leola Laird

Mrs. Julia Labadie-Harden, recently residing in St. Paul, Minn., and her sister, Miss Rosalie Labadie, who was visiting here, have returned to their respective homes. Mrs. B. Labadie, Webster Groves, Mo., Miss Sarah Woods, of 2751 Clark Ave., St. Louis, spent Sunday in Webster Groves. Miss Susan Crockett entertained the graduates and Alumni Club of Douglas School on Monday evening, June 14, at the residence of Mrs. Annie Polk; games and music were enjoyed by all. Mr. Phillip Whalen is very ill at Hot Springs, Ark. Mr. Harvey Simms came home on 10 from Lincoln Institute. Mrs. Nora Curtis-Reed, of Springfield, Ill., was a pleasant caller of Mrs. Annie Polk last Thursday. Mrs. Laura Crockett, of Littlefield, Ill., spent later part of last week with her daughter, Miss Susie Crockett, et al. Mrs. Henrietta Robinson and grandchildren and Mrs. Davis, of St. Louis, were pleasant callers of Mrs. Leola Laird. The eighth grade graduation was held at E. Church Thursday night, June 10. The graduates were: Misses Beulah Stone, Winnie Stewart, Hazel Morris, Lucy Evans, Leona Johnson, Mildred Turner and Margaret St. James. The program was par excellence.

COLUMBIA, MO., NEWS

By E. R. Douglas

Places where you can get the St. Louis Argus are: Saturday and Sunday, Rummans Mexican Chili Parlor, 9 Kelly Manager, Mexican Chili Parlor, Geo. Merritt/Prop.

Mrs. Joseph Reach, Sr., is reported very ill. Miss Mamie Robinson and Mrs. Maud Williams, assisted by Miss Julia Stetson, entertained a large number of friends at a "Thank you" party at their home last night, which was

an enjoyable affair, with Miss Scott at the punch bowl, which she so graciously served, added much to the entertainment. The children's play ground opened last Saturday and was filled with youngsters who enjoyed themselves until a late hour. Too much praise cannot be given the "Knicker Club" that worked so diligently in order to secure a play ground for their children. Mrs. Lily Drew, matron of the boarding department at Lincoln Institute, arrived here last Friday. Mrs. Drew is a former Columbian and we welcome her return. If you fail to get your paper stop at in Jackson and Campbell's Cafe and you can get it there. The reason some of our men are always hard up is because they are always trying to find soft snags, better get the hard ones, there's more ginger in them.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO.

By Miss H. N. Jones

Last Tuesday at the literary meeting the weekly program was excellent. Among the many noteworthy selections the one rendered by Miss L. Chandley was by common consent the best. Prof. W. G. Thompson, of New Madrid, made a short but interesting address which was followed by a few humorous remarks from Prof. Wheeler, of Frederick.

At the close of the program refreshments were served. The enjoyable evening was spent. The Teachers' Institute closed Saturday after having a very pleasant and instructive session, the teachers leaving Saturday and Sunday. Sunday at the A. M. E. Church good services were enjoyed all day, the attendance being somewhat impaired by the storm in the forenoon. At the Baptist Church the condition was about the same. Sunday afternoon the day-school rendered their Teachers' Day program, which was excellent and nicely attended. The junior members of the B. Y. P. U. will present an object lesson service.

"The Ladder of Life." Monday, June 21. Cards are out announcing the approaching wedding of two of our most popular young people, Miss M. Williams and Mr. Geo. Ellis. The date is set for June 28 at the residence of the bride elect.

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THE GRADUATE

At this season of the year when the public schools are closing their doors upon thousands of graduates from the grades and high schools of the country, the boys and girls that leave these schools become a problem for the parents or guardian. Yes, and more, they become a problem to themselves. Just think, for ten or fifteen years of their lives they have spent the greater portion of their time in the schoolroom. But now they are out, full of youth and ambition, willing and ready to work and thereby contribute their share to the industrial and commercial progress of the community. But they are confronted with a problem. They lack opportunity to cultivate that ambition. Their parents have worked and toiled, perhaps day and night, to keep their children in school, but most of them have failed in the most essential thing, namely, "The building of Negro industries."

The young men of our race, when they leave high school, or at least most of them, will say, "I will seek a government position." The young girls will say, "I will seek to teach." Why? Who is responsible for such choices? All cannot be teachers; all cannot secure government positions. Now, the thing for each parent to do is to look to the men of the race; call on them to do something for our boys and girls, and after calling on them to do something, resolve in your own mind to help the men to help our boys and girls by patronizing the men in business.

It was wisely said that "He who seeks to expose the wrongs of men has rendered a greater service to his fellow-man than he who seeks to cover up the evils that men do." There is much truth in the above statement. While we are told in the Holy Writ that "If a brother is overtaken in a fault to admonish him," but never "cover up."

THE SIN OF SILENCE

To sin by silence when we should protest makes cowards out of men. The human race has climbed on protest. Had no voice been raised against injustice, ignorance and lust, the inquisition yet would serve the law, and guillotines decide our least disputes. The few who dare must speak and speak again to right the wrongs of many.—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

STREET MANNERS

From N. Y. Age

Good manners are not merely for the parlor; they apply equally as well to the street. In fact, bad parlor manners are not so detrimental as bad street manners, because they do not affect and annoy as many people.

Loud and coarse laughter, congregating on the sidewalks so as to impede the progress of passersby, expectorating in one spot until it makes rubbers necessary—these are all very bad street manners.

So far as we are concerned as a race, bad street manners on our part have a very damaging result, a more damaging result than the same manners would have indulged in by others. And this is because so few people of the other race know anything about how we live in our homes, but judge us almost entirely by our conduct in public.

This being true, it is not fair for a few, by their bad street manners, to make a bad impression for the whole race. It is plainly the duty of each of us to use our influence to correct bad street manners among us wherever we see them practiced.

Good homes for the people's everyday life are more necessary than churches for their Sunday resort. The Home was founded before the Church, and we of the Afro-American race stand more in need of homes than we do of churches.

The child in the country has abundant play space, and too few companions. The child in the city has too many companions and too little play space. Yet we will sit stupidly and indifferently wondering why our children are going to the devil so fast—getting rotten before they are ripe.

"The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof; the world and they that dwell therein" and "they that dwell therein" have rights superior to the rights of real-estate speculators.

If the Church has no better program for the social service of the community, then Church Extinction—not Church Extension—is the duty of the day.

PRESIDENT OF THE STANDARD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY HERE

Herman E. Perry, president of Standard Life Insurance of Atlanta, Ga., is in the city looking after the interest of the company. Mr. Perry expects to appoint a man to take charge of the local office here, as Mr. C. K. Robinson has given up the work.

The Standard Life is the only old line life insurance company owned and controlled by negroes in the world. It is capitalized at \$100,000.

NEGRO GETS SALARY OF \$10,000

Joseph Ray is the name of the colored man who was in California with Chas. Schwab, the steel magnate, and his party, for a few hours last week. Mr. Ray is the right-hand man of the magnate and receives a salary of \$10,000 per year. He signs Mr. Schwab's name to checks, pays all bills and arranges all details of the trip. Before visitors can see Mr. Schwab, they must first state their "business to Mr. Ray, then it is up to him to decide whether or not they will be admitted. Mr. Ray has been with Mr. Schwab for many years and is rated a wealthy man.

GRAND LODGE, K. P., MEETS HERE IN JULY

Preparations are being made to entertain the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, which will convene in this city July 27. The committee on entertainment have arranged for a big time at the Coliseum during the session of the Grand Lodge. Wm. Johnson, General Chairman.

SEMPER FIDELIS LODGE, NO. 34, K. O. P., HOLDS ELECTION

The following officers were elected: Joe B. Keiser, C. C.; A. Wiggins, V. C.; Neal Andrews, Prelate; Jas. T. Ford, K. of R. and S. O. J. Biggs, M. F. J. H. Harrison, M. E. A. H. Gibbs, M. W. L. C. Cross, M. A. Trustee, P. Telefero. The financial officers reported \$1,020.26 in treasury. Grand Representatives, O. J. Biggs and Pearl C. Teeters.

JUST OUT

Latest Afro-American march song, "Our Fiftieth Anniversary," by Geo. W. Merritt. On sale in St. Louis at J. H. Revel's, 2319 Market St., or send 15 cents to Merritt & Douglas, 500 Walnut St., Columbia, Mo., for complete copy.

McGHEE LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS UNANIMOUSLY

The election of H. McGhee Alexander Lodge, A. F. and A. M., June 14, was remarkable indeed. Every officer was elected by unanimous ballot. Attorney Geo. L. Vaughn was re-elected W. M. The other officers are: Chas. Horton, S. M.; Edward R. Rice, J. W.; Geo. W. Wade, Sec. Geo. Porter, Treas.; J. Hardy Tyler, Representative to Stockholders' Association; Geo. W. Wade, Alex. Parquette and Geo. L. Vaughn.

PRIDE OF WEST ELECTIONS

Pride of the West Lodge, K. of P., met Monday evening, June 14, in regular session and for the election of officers for the ensuing term. The following were chosen: Enos Brown, C. C.; U. S. Baker (retiring C. C.); V. C. J. R. Payne, Prelate; John Mahaley, M. W.; Wm. H. Coff, K. R. S.; Wm. W. Buckner, M. P.; Capt. R. H. Barton, M. E.; Norris Murray, M. A.; John A. Givens, Trustee; Grand Representative, Wm. W. Buckner, John Mahaley; Alternates, Walter McDowell.

ROYAL LODGE ELECTIONS

At the semi-annual election at Royal Lodge, No. 76, K. of P., Thursday night, the following named officers were chosen: Chancellor, Commander, F. H. Robertson; Vice-Chancellor, C. H. O'Dell; Prelate, Maurice A. Grant; Keeper of Records and Seal, Dr. C. H. Turner; Master of Works, John B. Vashon; Master of Finance, Nathan H. Wright; Master of Exchequer, Dr. C. M. Cathrell; Master at Arms, Andrew U. Grant; Trustee, A. J. Givens; Grand Representative, John B. Vashon; Alternates, Dr. C. M. Cathrell.

CHIEF TRAIN-DISPATCHER IN RAILROAD SERVICE 42 YEARS

Special to the Argus: Carbondale, Ill., June 7.—J. H. Kelley, well-known Afro-American citizen, is the chief train dispatcher in this city for the Illinois Central Railroad. Mr. Kelley is the oldest son of I. H. Kelley of Alton, Illinois and an uncle of Mrs. W. H. James of 4278 Cote Brillante Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Kelley has a long and honorable record with the company, having been employed by it for forty-two years.

Special Matinee, Movie Theatre, 2351 Market, for benefit of Mount City Social Settlement Association, Tuesday, June 22, 1915, from 2 to 6 p. m. Admission 5 cents.

CUT OUT THE ADVERTISING AND SAVE IT

East Kinloch
A Paradise For Rich And Poor

THERE IS SOMETHING MAJESTIC IN THOSE WORDS, INSTANTLY YOU HEAR THE BIRDS SINGING IN THE LEAF-LADEN TREES SWEET NOTES OF ALL MOST HUMAN WELCOME AND SO IT BECOMES A REALITY WHEN ONCE YOU MAKE UP YOUR MIND TO THROW OFF THE CARES OF CITY LIFE AND TAKE TO THE COUNTRY. EAST KINLOCH IS THAT FAIRY SPOT, AND ALADDIN'S LAMP IS EVER BURNING FOR THE LUCKY BUYER OF A LOT OR HOME IN

A DWELLER IN THE CITY, YOU BECOME A SORT OF AUTOMATON, AS YOU CEASELESSLY TRUDGE OVER CEMENT WALK FROM MORN TILL NIGHT, AND TRAVEL WITH WEARY FOOTSTEP BACK TO YOUR RENTED HOME. BUT NOT SO IN EAST KINLOCH. THERE YOUR MONEY IS BEING PLANTED IN A GOOD LOT TO BE THE FUTURE HOME OF THE FARMER WHO PROVIDES FOR THE INEVITABLE RAINY DAY. BUY A LOT NOW IN

EAST KINLOCH.

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We are setting aside 4 lots near Duabar School in East Kinloch Subdivision, to be reserved for a site for the City Hall, and expect that when the subdivision is sold you will elect a Negro Mayor and Town Council.

HE WHO HESITATES HAS LOST A LOT.

Don't wait until too late.

EAST KINLOCH LOTS

Not a dollar against them.

Price \$150, \$200, \$250, \$300, \$350 and \$400 each; \$2 cash and \$1 per week, or as much as you want to pay. Deed given when half paid. Guaranteed title and deed from Trust Company of St. Louis County.

Come out Sunday. Salesman on grounds. Call at office of EAST KINLOCH SALES CO., corner of Lix and Carson Roads. Take Ferguson car at Wellston and get off at Kinloch junction and walk up Carson Road to EAST KINLOCH office.

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THE "PORO" HAIR DRESSING

Some folks write testimonials. Having no regard to fact, while some exaggerate it. Others write are not exact. Some will falsify their statements. Others write just to deceive. By a thousand varied arguments, so their story, none believe.

But it shall be my object just to state it as it is. All about the "Poro" hair dressing. For half a century I have used it. But every word I tell you. You will truly find it so.

Indeed, I've taken washing, air, and ironing, to be sure. I have served as cook and housemaid. And have done some nursing, too. The reason why I did it. Was because I didn't know. For agents of "Poro."

I found out that the cost would be to enter in the work. I paid the stipulated price. With not a moment's shrink. And now today, I'm glad to say. With all my soul and main, "I count the cost as nothing lost. But everything to gain."

I've done five hundred heads or more. Since first I began to use it. There's a constant rapping at my door. Or passing on the street. To have me wash and dress their hair. I make these ladies know. (Of all the rest), I use the best. The world's far-famed "Poro."

I've had some ladies come to me. With their hair so very thin. And instead of coming to me. And arguing with the wife. But now I let you know. I'm glad to let you know. They all join in the chorus. Singing praise to "Poro."

I can call them by the hundred. I can name them by the score. Everyone of whom are pleased. With using the "Poro." It makes their hair so glossy. It makes the hair all flourish. And puts it up to date.

Your husband will not know you, And neither will your best. You'll take your own self by surprise. By using "Poro-Turno Boto." So if you want your hair improved. Or would you make it grow. I invite you to try Mrs. Mariah Gains. Like "Poro-Turno's" Boto. —Foulke.

CHRISTIAN SPIRITUAL CHURCH

Miss Childs, a very talented young lady of the race, will appear at the Spiritual Christian Church, 2727 Lawton, in one of her famous recitals, Friday evening, June 18. Miss Childs is a well known in this city and a large audience is expected on this occasion. A special silver offering will be taken for our building fund. Services as usual will be in connection.

J. S. Weatherford, Recto. R. Duke, Asst. and Sec.

DELANEY SCHOOL GRADUATES

Mae E. Hamilton, Olivia V. Jordan, Frosty M. Murphy, Marguerite M. Gladys, Mary E. Maybelle Terry, Mattie H. Williams, Robert A. B. Bishop, Elmer L. Ray, Leroy T. Roberson, Henry Sales, Joseph Thompson, Percy L. Vaughn. John B. Vashon, Principal.

GRANT MISSION NEWS

The Mite Missionary Society of Grant Mission, in Benton, will have a sermon, Sunday, June 20, at 3 p. m., by the Rev. Mrs. Lucy J. Harvey. Miss G. Graham, acting president in absence of Mrs. Marvin. Mrs. Mary Fields, secretary. Mrs. W. Sampson Brooks, of St. Paul. A. M. E. Church, will be present. Services will be at the Sunday-school, at 4 p. m.

Rev. J. W. Graham, Pastor.

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AND LOCAL NOTES

NOTICE

All communications for the current issue of the Argus must be in the office not later than Wednesday noon each week. Out-of-town correspondents must send their news so as to reach us not later than Tuesday noon.

Mrs. Ida M. Smith, 4216 Cottage Ave., entertained the Harpers' Married Ladies' Club, Wednesday, June 9. Eighteen members and four guests were present. A delightful menu was served by the hostess. All expressed themselves as having a pleasant evening.

Miss Sallie Henderson, one of the young teachers, was promoted to First Assistant, Dumas School.

Mrs. Edna Duncan, of Princeton, Ind., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Glen Wedley, 1721 Pendleton Ave.

Mrs. Mary Richardson and daughter, Lucile, 5465 Delmar Ave., who have been in Washington, D. C., since November 12, will leave June 16 for their summer home in Northport Point, Mich. They will return to this city in the fall.

Mr. P. R. Smith, 4228 San Francisco, a member of Damon Lodge No. 4, K. of P., is convalescent.

Mrs. Millie Johnson, grand lecturer of the Claretian Court, is the guest of Mrs. Walter Coleman, 4338 West Belle.

Mr. Jake Hayden, who left St. Louis on account of ill health, has returned to the city very much improved. He reports having visited several important cities in Kentucky and speaks in glowing terms of Cadiz and its citizens.

Miss Edna Moore, 3144 Pine St., who left for a week, is back again.

Little George Phillip, son of Mr. and Mrs. King, who has been sick, is improving.

The Wednesday Pleasure Club was entertained by Miss Armstrong, June 9. After partaking of a delicious lunch, the Club adjourned to meet Wednesday, June 23, at 1029 N. Leffingwell. Miss Sadie Gallagher and Mr. Henry Jennings, Mr. P. S. Cradler, Pres.; Mr. A. Jennings, Treas.; Mrs. M. C. Lee, Sec.

The Nautarium Art Club was entertained on the 10th inst. by Mrs. Jno. F. Johnson at her beautiful new residence, 4302 N. Market. A large number of members and three visitors were present. Remarks by Mesdames W. E. Lewis and E. Hughes and music by Miss G. Overton were highly enjoyed. After routine business the hostess served a delicious lunch. Mrs. L. W. Lane, 4347 St. Ferdinand, will be hostess at the next meeting, June 24.

H. L. Wade, Pres.
L. Douglas, Sec.

Miss M. V. Bell, of Elberton, Ga., is visiting Miss Marguerite F. Douglas, her country home, Anglin, Mo. Miss Douglas, recently returned home from Holly Springs, Miss., where, for two years, she has been teaching in the Mississippi Industrial College.

Mesdames Williams and Shores, 4589 Garfield Ave., entertained Rev. and Mrs. F. F. Martyn at a very pretty luncheon Wednesday afternoon. It was sentimentally a "friendship luncheon" for all the decorations were flowers emblematic of that tie, the famous rose, a flower symbolizing friendship and the place cards were ornamented with hand painted flowers and a friendship verse culled from the classics. Everyone heartily enjoyed the time.

Mrs. R. L. Chisel, 2806 Clark Ave., returned home after four weeks' absence through the South, Mexico, Texas, and Little Rock, Ark., in the interest of her profession. The trip was a great success.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gearn celebrated their daughter's birthday, May 31, with a party. The house was beautifully decorated and the birthday cake was decorated with sweet peas. The table was set three times and the candles were lit and put on the table to represent little Lizzie May's age. There were fourteen children and eight mothers present. An enjoyable evening was spent. A large number of useful presents were received.

Total amount of money taken in Sunday at the Old Folks' Home celebration was \$170.31. Will give itemized statement later.

Mrs. B. H. Black, 2330 Walnut St., will entertain Mrs. H. L. Wade and the Cotteridge Bridge Club, Saturday afternoon, June 19.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

John Brooks, E. St. Louis, Ill.
Martha Taborn, E. St. Louis, Ill.
Sol Jones, 4414 Maffitt
Mrs. Jessie Miller Park, 4438 Maffitt
Howard Jones, 4342 Cottage
Sue Grisham, 4268 Lucky
Perry Martin, 1004 Morgan
Blanche Farley, 2024 Chestnut
John H. Duke, 4335 N. Market
Tommy L. Snuggs, 1708 George
Arthur O'Neal, 2709 Bernard
Annie Pace, 3241 Maple
Howard Brinkley, 2824 Morgan
Mabel Hunter, 1619a Morgan
Edward Jackson, 605 S. Ewing
Mrs. May France, 605 S. Ewing
Mildred Jackson, 4153a Fairfax
Arthur R. Riddle, 4153a Fairfax
Landon Carter, 1321 N. 8th St.
Sarah Butler, 1321 N. 8th St.
Carroll Keller, 280a Walnut
Mrs. Martha Soddridge, 280a Walnut
James B. Anderson, 2820 Montgomery
Maud Catherine Brooks, 1110 S. Compton

Mme. Hathaway-Upshaw, of 217a Clark, has removed to 2702 Walnut, where she will be pleased to see friends.

Special Matinee, Movie Theater, 235 S. Market, for benefit of the City Social Settlement Association, Tuesday, June 22, 1915, from 2 to 6 p. m. Admission 5 cents.

Dorothy Allen Crass, infant daughter of Mrs. Mellissa Crass, 3129 Lawton, fell from a table, through an open window on the second floor of their home, on Tuesday morning. She received injuries from which she died three hours later. Her mother was preparing to take her for a walk and was standing by the window, not knowing the child was there.

The Pelicans Club will have their outing and entertainment in Forest Park, June 20.

Mrs. Arvilla Wilkins, formerly Miss Jessie Brosius, who traveled with Blind Boone Concert Company, is here visiting her husband, Mr. Arvilla Wilkins, of 2828 Pine St.

Mrs. Tillie Griffin has moved to 905 N. Leonard, where she will be glad to see her many friends.

Mrs. Alice Miles, 3326 Franklin Ave., left for Bay View, Mich., to spend the summer.

Mrs. Martha Thomas, 3130 Fair, left Friday for St. Paul, Minn.

Miss M. B. Berry, manufacturer of M. B. Hair Grower, has moved to 2926 Lucas Ave.

Mrs. Addie Cheatham, of 2927 Lucas, died May 31, with acute tonsillitis. She was buried at her former home, Cape Girardeau, Mo.

Mrs. Victoria Clay Haley delivered the Children's Day address at the First German Presbyterian Church last Sunday to a very appreciative audience, and has been invited to address the Missionary Society of the same church next month.

Miss Marietta Douglas, 4671 St. Louis Ave., a teacher in Simmons School, will leave Monday for the East. As is her custom, a greater part of her stay will be in New York City.

The Sharon Ladies Bible Class of Antioch Baptist Sunday-school spent a pleasant evening at their church lawn Tuesday, June 8. This was their monthly class meeting and also the ending of a two months' experience rally. They had wonderful success. The class was divided into sides, namely, the Pink and Blue sides. The Pink side brought in the largest amount. The total amount brought in by both sides was \$40.00. About thirty-five were present. Refreshments were served by the following: Mesdames Madeline Smith, Leonora Berry, Sylvia Lee, Elizabeth Beth, Martha Conwell and Agnes Alexander.

Among the many visitors at "Poro" College this week was Mr. R. W. Hoard, of Pittsburgh, Penn. During his short stay he was entertained with theater parties, automobile, sight-seeing by Prof. Leonard.

Mrs. Thomas Roberts and her grandson, Othel, were also among the visitors. Young Roberts is the nephew of Mrs. Malone.

Gilless' Cafe and Home Bakery, 2835 Market

A la Carte—Table d'Hôte—Lunch—Dinner—Supper—Served. Meals to order 15 and 25 cents. Dinner 25 cents. Hot rolls 10¢ a dozen daily.

DEATHS OF THE WEEK

Alice Franklin, 512 S. 22nd, 53.
John Casey, 2618 Stoddard, 67.
Emma Jackson, 1730 N. 11, 26.
Dorothy Cross, 3129 Lawton, 3 mos.
Genevieve Miller Robinson, 4328 Garfield, 20.

Theodore Moore, 1217 N. 15th, 39.
Helen Jennings, 3120 Market, 52.
Robert Allen, Chicago, Ill., 50.
Carrie Smith, 2883 Bernard, 14.
Agusta Powell, 1516 Linden, 54.
Georgia Gosselt, 2621 Baldwin, 24.
Dorothy Parker, 1718 January, 1.
James R. Green, 38.
Ed. Pagan, Evansville, Ind., 43.

Tilly M. Glass, 2225 Wash. 17.
Bertha Anderson, 2658a Morgan, 19.
Ella Scurry, 2740 Walnut, 38.
Gertrude Wingo, 4204 Papin, 24.
Francis Stewart, 2831 Morgan, 24.
Lewin Carter, 2908 Bernard, 62.
Ed Williams, 3122 Franklin, 40.
Martha Pendergrass, 1507 Morgan.

Ina J. Johnson, Kirkwood, Mo., 79.
Ben Rose, 6119 Miner, 22.
Martha Harris, 3125 La Salle, 32.
Infant Sparks, 2322 Walnut.
Pearl Boyd, 2632 Lucas, 28.

FATHER OR REV. S. A. LOVE
DECEASED

Our dear Brother, Love, of St. Louis, Mo., who is so well known in Missouri and stands so high in our ministerial circle, lost his father at the age of 94 years old. He was born in 1820.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our dear brother, Roy L. Herman, who departed this life, June 19, 1914.

A precious one from us has gone,
The voice we loved is still,
The place is vacant in our home,
That never can be filled.
Gone but not forgotten.

Sadly missed by
Mr. and Mrs. Westley Herman
(parents), Mrs. Pearl Herman (wife),
son, sister and brother.

GATES AND MANUEL
Henderson, 4389 Flaming Ave.,Phone, 9-4, 322, 324, 325, 326.

Tonight at Quinn Chapel, 221 Bush St., Mrs. Judy's Wax Works, bring pictures under the direction of Mrs. E. Viola Winston. Rev. S. B. Anderson, pastor.

For southern cooked barbecue try D. McCollins, 4153a Fairfax, ice cream, cold soft drinks, where quality is never misinterpreted. 2758 Clark Ave.

For rent two nice large unfurnished rooms and bath. Mrs. A. Jones, 3442 Pine St.

Miss Mary Kelley, of 2920 Lawton Avenue, left for Wednesday night for her home, Hopkinsville, to visit her mother, Mrs. Maggie Kelley, of North Campbell St.

Mrs. Jane Vail, of Mississippi, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Isabel Henderson, of 2305 Market Street.

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WANTED: A neat appearing lady for house to house demonstrating. Must be in a position to travel. Reference required. Experience necessary. Good salary to right party. Address H. R. Argus, 2341 Market.

LOST: A black covered Bible, Monday morning on Market Street near Jefferson Ave. A Christian Endeavor card in it. Was a keeper of my card book. Please return to 104 S. Beaman St. Mrs. Hattie Vaughn.

EAST SAINT LOUIS, ILLINOIS
Mrs. Hattie Duval has moved to 706 East Broadway, where she will be pleased to see her many friends.

Friday, the 18th inst., will be the annual picnic for the public schools. Much interest is displayed in these picnic.

Saturday, the Lincoln High School team will play St. Paul Baptist Sunday-school. This will be the last game of the season in the schedule of the Illinois League.

The Tokyo Airdome is doing great business these days. The whole force is trying to give the people of East St. Louis a clean show. The players, Moore and Bowman and their top hoppers are proving themselves great favorites on the East.

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Some Hints

To Moving

Picture Patrons

As Told by W. H. King, Proprietor
Of The Garden Airdome
2120 Market Street

First, patronize those places that give you the best employment.

When you don't feel like going to Forest Park Highlands, come to the Garden Airdome. (Blood is thicker than water.)

How many white odeons on Market St. employ colored help?—All of our employees are Colored.

We spent Eight Hundred Dollars in improvements, and every dollar was paid to Colored workmen. How many white odeons on Market St. have done as much for the race?

If you think you are doing right by spending all of your nickels in Forest Park Highlands, let your daughter apply for a position as Cashier at one of them; and please let us know if she gets the position.

We are giving our patrons the best moving pictures that money can buy, even though we are forced to send to Chicago to get them because the white odeon proprietors on Market St. have bought up all of the local service in an effort to keep us from doing business among our own people.

For any further information along this line, see Mr. King, 2120 Market St., at the Garden Airdome.—Adv.

JOINT PICNIC

A joint picnic of the Delany and Wheatley Schools will be given at ground 1 and 2, Carondelet Park, Tuesday, June 15, to which the patrons and friends of the schools are invited.

J. W. White Tailoring.
Suits pressed while you wait. Olive 4473. 105 S. 20th St.

MOONLIGHT BOAT EXCURSION

The Mound City Co., C. U. R. K. of F., will give a Moonlight Boat Excursion on the steamer, Gay Eagle, Monday evening, June 21. See Page 8 of this issue.

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2023 Market St.

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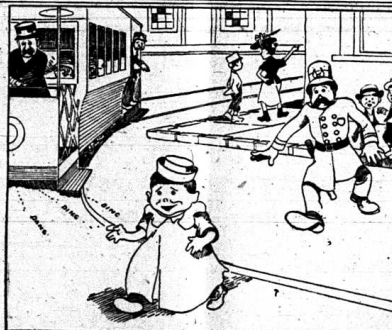
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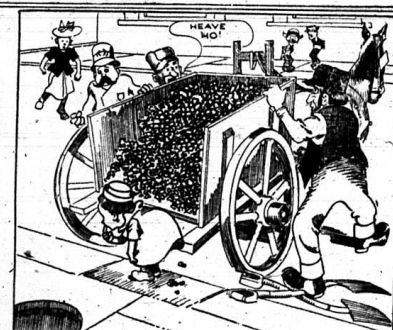
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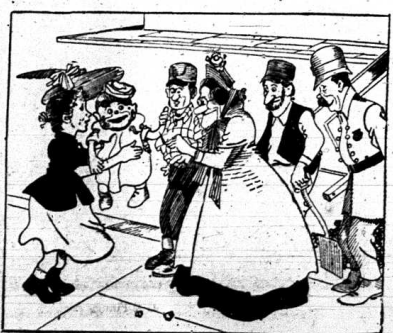
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Baseball is hard to case. The Memphis Giants looked like champions in their last game with Mills team Monday. Wallace and company had to keep on their toes to win 3 to 1. Omaha showed up badly, losing to the Giants Sunday and to Memphis Monday.

The Sprudels games Sunday, Monday and Tuesday will just about establish the class of Mills' three pitchers, Williams, Miller and Smith. Don't miss this series.

The cabaret entertaining has been a conspicuous feature of the games lately.

The New City League opens its baseball season Saturday. The four teams are the Alton Beas, E. St. Louis Giants, Missouri Life and St. Louis Giants. Mills' team will open with the East St. Louis Club at Polo Park, East St. Louis. The new league plays only on Saturdays.

CHARITY BASE BALL

A charity baseball game will be played at Kueblers Park, 6100 N. Broadway, St. Louis, on Thursday, June 24, for the benefit of the new Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion Church, Lucas and Garrison Aves. There will be a double header. First game between the Summer High School and Lincoln High School, of East St. Louis. Second game, Char. Mills Giants against the All Stars. Game called at 1:30 o'clock, which time inter-scholastic championship cup will be presented. The proceeds of both games will be donated to the above mentioned church. Don't forget the date. The church extends an invitation to the various public schools. Congressmen L. C. Dyer and Jacob F. Meeker will be out to pitch and catch the first ball.

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Friday, June 17--Millionaire's Handred Dollar Bill.
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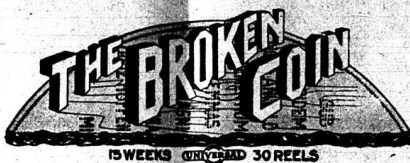
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In the team of Day and Howard that played here last week, the lady's name was Irene Howard, not Day, as appeared under her picture.

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